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1. IN MAY 21 CALL, SCIENCE LIAISON OFFICER CONVEYED POINTS
CONTAINED REFTEL TO ARTHUR G. BOLLEN, FIRST ASSISTANT SECRETARY,
FISHERIES DIVISION, DEPT. OF AGRICULTURE. BOLLEN EXPRESSED
"DELIGHT" THAT USG HAS DECIDED TO SUPPORT FULLY AUSTRALIAN
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AMENDMENT AND NOT TO SEEK TO PLACE TEN-YEAR MORATORIUM ISSUE ON

THIS YEAR'S IWC AGENDA. BOLLEN SAID GOA AGREES WITH US POSITION (PARA 3C REFTTEL) AND DOES NOT WANT WEAK INTERPRETATION OF AUSTRALIAN AMENDMENT. HE ALSO VOLUNTEERED THAT HE IS OPTIMISTIC ABOUT SOVIETS AND JAPANESE BEING "REASONABLE" ON IMPLEMENTING AUST. AMENDMENT.

2. AUSTDEL TO IWC MEETING WILL INCLUDE: BOLLEN, AUSTRALIAN COMMISSIONER, ETA LONDON JUNE 12, STAYING AT ROYAL TRAFALGAR HOTEL; DR. K. RADWAY ALLEN, CHIEF, CSIRO FISHERIES AND OCEANOGRAPHY DIVISION, ETA LONDON ABOUT JUNE 14 STAYING AT HOTEL BEDFORD; JOHN BANNISTER, DIRECTOR, WESTERN AUSTRALIAN MUSEUM, ETA LONDON ABOUT JUNE 14, STAYING WITH FRIENDS; TWO INDUSTRY REPRESENTATIVES FROM CHEYNES BEACH HOLDINGS LTD: J. MURRAY AND J. CHELLEW; AND J. JENKINS, AUST. AGRICULTURAL ATTACHE, LONDON.
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